Issues

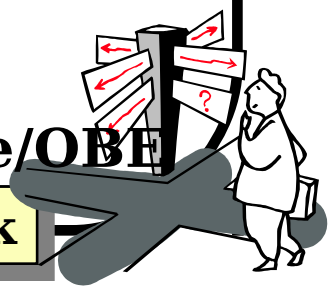
Which Way To Go?

Army Standing Committee Meeting -- Apr 2008

Issue

Town House Style Barracks

- **Issue: New RFP design -- Looks like AFH Town House**
  - **Kansas City building at Fort Leonard Wood via RFP**
- **Pros:**
  - **Soldier will love**
  - **Per Unit Cost (including IS/IT) is greatly reduced**
- **Cons:**
  - **Current 'barracks' IS/IT criteria impossible/OBE**
  - **UEPH fiber based Internet – unlikely**



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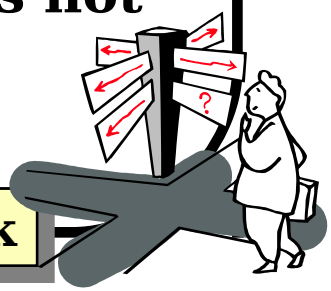
Add Fiber to Barracks

- **Issue: Fiber cable to Barracks**
  - **Supports: IDS, EMCS, Soldier Internet Option**
- **PRO:**
  - **Adds robust data path to barracks**
- **CON:**
  - **May not be applicable to all barracks**
  - **Internet path from TER to individual rooms not resolved**
- **Status: Under implementation**



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SONET Terminal

- **Issue: SONET terminals add to fiber optic OSP systems**
  - **Reflects need to provide multi-service connection to FOC**
  - **Used extensively on new ranges**
  - **ISCE Version 5.0.X implements**
- **PROs:**
  - **Minimizes 'lighting' of multiple fiber optic circuits**
  - **Provides voice/data to remote locations: i.e., ranges**
  - **Cost effective**
- **CONS:**

End of Slides

Issue

Data Devices In Barracks

- Issue: Should MILCON provides LAN-SWT in Barracks?
- Current LAN: AR 420-1, Table 4-2, Line 4 is applicable
  - ISC funds 'common user' system equipment
  - PROP funds non 'common user' requirements
- Question: What 'data' is 'common user' <u>TODAY</u>?
  - IDS? -- currently not 'common user' Table 4-2, Line 17
  - LMCSEC -- Making Information Technology Work Table 4-2, Line 28